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County Board.

The Board of County Commissioners met in annual session last Tuesday and will probably continue in session throughout the week. The business before this session is mostly of a miscellaneous nature except that of the appointment of a County Physician—up to the time of going to press no appointment has been made. Drs. Ames and Grant being the principal contestants. The liquor license question will also probably come up before the board this session. There is an evident feeling to "slap on" a poultice to the way of greenbacks.

Our opportunities have not been sufficient to review fully the weeks session, we will however try to do so next week.

A Living Death.

In some few and lives there comes a moment when the shadow of death passes over the soul, and does not touch the body. After that we walk along our appointed path through the world, and though we are dead, yet we are not dead; and are given in marriage, and have of our friends, who hold our hands and wish us God-speed on our way, imagine, when they look into our eyes, that we are dead; that there is no more light in the evening sky, nor freshness in the morning dew; that in our hearts is neither hope nor fear, regret, remembrance, nor delight; only a show of life for other needs than our own—only a cold, dull patience in place of a living soul.

In 1864 Gen. Grant wrote a letter to Hon. I. N. Morris, of Illinois, on the subject of the Presidency, in which he said:

"In your letter you say that I have it in my power to be the next President. This is the last thing in the world I desire. I would regard such a consummation as being highly unfortunate for myself, if not for the country."

"No one will question that the 'consummation' has been unfortunate for the country, and to Grant's reputation, however profitable it may have been to him personally, and to the family of Grant, and to the Tom Murphys of the radical party."

The Superior [Wis.] Times, in speaking of the progress of the Superior & Northwestern Railroad, says:

We learn from parties who have come this week from the camps along the railroad, that the engineers have found an excellent and very practicable line of route; and they are making the final location between the State line and the Northern Pacific Junction. The Chief Engineer, J. H. Sargent, is expected in town soon, and no doubt will be ready to let contracts on the 15th of December.

The French Assembly effected an organization yesterday, by the election of the President and Vice President of the last session. President Thiers did not send in his message, owing, it is said, to the question of the admission of the Orleans Prince, whose status in the French nation at this time, is one of the leading questions before the Assembly.

A report comes from Washington that a vigorous effort is to be made to have Senator Sumner replaced at the head of the Foreign Affairs Committee, in which effort it is said Sumner himself courts defeat, thus leaving him perfectly untrammelled in his warfare upon the administration.

A Washington dispatch says the Secretary of the Navy has sent a quantity of condemned clothing to the sufferers by fire in the Northwest.

The Peabody (Mass.) Press says: "Many persons who have had occasion to visit the Essex depot in this town, have for some time past noticed a large dun-colored dog, who anxiously watches the passengers as they alight, as though seeking for some particular person. The dog belonged to Mr. Ernest S. Merrill, one of the victims of the Ryer's disaster. When young Merrill left for the last time his dog left him at the depot. The faithful dog still watches for his master, who will never come back."

A fashion writer reports that the most fashionable ladies dress very plainly in public this season, and clothed in cashmere dresses over black silk seem to be the most popular style of walking dresses.

An Official Account of the way the Thing Was Done.

From the Washington Chronicle.

Minister Catezay advanced to the President, shook hands, and presented the Grand Duke, saying: "I have the honor to present to your Excellency his Imperial Highness, the Grand Duke Alexis. Your Imperial Highness, his Excellency President Grant." The young Prince bowed modestly and advanced. The President extended his hand, saying: "I am glad to see and welcome you to our country, and hoping your stay among us will be attended with much pleasure." The Prince replied: "I am honored, your Excellency, and I feel grateful for your cordial reception." And they shook hands warmly.

Montana Sport.

Hunting the fox, or Rocky Mountain goat, is just now a favorite amusement among the people of Montana Territory. This animal somewhat resembles the famous chamois of the Alps, about which poets have sung since time immemorial. It is sure footed, and leaps swiftly from crag to crag. After long pursuit, it usually comes to bay upon some cliff accessible only to dogs, and to them only in small numbers. While they are worrying the animal the hunter climbs the rocks above, and throwing a lasso down, catch it by the neck and draw it up. It caught young the Rocky Mountain goat is easily tamed, and becomes quite as troublesome as its domesticated kinsman.

The New Georgia Senator.

The World says that Mr. Thomas Mansor Norwood, who was elected United States Senator from Georgia by almost unanimous vote of the legislature on Tuesday last, is a native of that state, having been born in Talbot county in 1829. At twenty he was graduated, and two years afterwards went to Savannah, where he has ever since practiced law. In 1861-2 he was a member of the Georgia House of Representatives, but he has never held any other public office. He has been re-elected by act of Congress from any ability which might follow. It is said that his father though quite wealthy, thought that every man should learn a trade, and accordingly had the Senator taught the trade of shoemaker. The boots with which he subsequently entered college were the work of his own hands. Mr. Norwood is a conservative.

Field Marshal Benedek.

General Field Marshal Benedek died suddenly of an apoplectic attack last month at Vienna. He was born in 1804 at Odenburg, in Hungary. He entered the Austrian army as a cornet in 1822, and attained the rank of colonel in 1843. Two years later he exhibited great military talents during the insurrection in Galicia. He took part in the memorable campaign of 1848 in Italy, under Radetzky, distinguishing himself at the battle of Curtatone, for which he received the order of Maria Theresa. During the war of Italian independence, 1859, he was one of the few Austrian generals who showed some military capacity. At the battle of Solferino he commanded the left wing of the army, which was the last to leave the field. He was Governor of Hungary for a few months in 1869, and was soon appointed to the chief command of the Austrian army in Italy. During the war between Austria and Prussia in 1866 General Benedek was from May 5th in command of the North Army. On July 3rd, the forces under his command were defeated. General Benedek was soon after superseded by the Archduke Albert, and in October, 1866, he was put on the retired list.

You can't most always tell.

The Appropos to the statement that the President have a slim chance in the Presidential election, it is well enough to remember that in 1859 the Democrats carried nearly all the States and at the Presidential election in 1860 the Whigs elected General Harrison by an immense majority. In 1863 the Democrats sustained defeat. In most of the States and in 1864 they elected James K. Polk. In 1867, the elections were exceedingly favorable for the Democracy, and in 1868 the Whigs elected Taylor, and in 1869, nearly all the elections were Whigs, and in 1872 Pierce was elected President by the Democrats. In 1855, the Republicans carried nearly all the States, but in 1860, Buchanan, was nearly unanimously elected. In 1860 the Democracy was successful everywhere, and in 1860 Lincoln was elected. —Pioneer.

The Mac-Coburn fight turned out as every one expected it would, a perfect fraud. If any other argument for the discontinuance of the brutal practice of prize fighting were needed, this alone should be sufficient, that all such exhibitions from their very inception are full of trickery and sham. The almighty dollar rules in the prize ring as well as everywhere else, and what fools are plentiful to wager their money, there will be no lack of beasts who will consent to hammer and be hammered for their edification—and their money.

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HOME ITEMS

HERALD AGENT CARVER—G. A. Du Toit

Saint Paul & S. C. R. R.
The following indicates the time for the arrival of trains at Merriam Station:
To Taylor..... 8:30 A. M. 6:30 P. M.
Down trains..... 8:35 A. M. 6:40 P. M.
J. F. Lincoln, Supt.

H & D RAILWAY.

The following indicates the time for the arrival and departure of trains at Chaska.
Down train..... 9:25 A. M.
Up train..... 8:00 P. M.
They leave Carver 15 minutes previous.

Chaska Wheat Market.

Since the completion of the Hastings & Dakota and the Minneapolis Rail Roads, two competing lines, Chaska has become one of the very best wheat markets in the state. The average price paid for wheat since that time has been \$1.18 per bushel, equal to the Minneapolis market, and more than is being paid in any other point in the State—and further more we are pleased to state that this "state of things" is being duly appreciated by the farmers of the county at large, and also by many from Hennepin, Scott and McLeod, as we see them upon our streets every day with loads of wheat, barley, pork &c.,—now if our merchants will only display a "little genuine" business foresight and fully meet the demand of an increased trade, Chaska will soon be known as one of the best business points in the State. We have the opportunity, will it be improved?

AMUSEMENTS.—The Concert given by the Kerker family last week, was in every particular a success. The Singing by the Cecilia Society was also excellent. The Duets, Quartets and Solos, by Mr. and Mrs. Entrop, Mr. Kerker, Mrs. Byrer and others were rapturously applauded.

The ball given by the Carver Post of the Grand Army of the Republic, in the Concordia Hall in this village on Thanksgiving evening, was very largely attended and was a complete success. Much credit is due the Capt. Johnson and Dr. Lewis for unremitting labor to render the same a success.

BUSINESS.—Business has been very brisk in our city during the past two weeks, owing probably in a great measure, to the advance in the price of wheat in our market. Every branch of business is benefited thereby. The opening of two competing Railroads into our village has already had a salutary influence upon the business prospects of Chaska. Chaska has a bright future in store and our opportunity should be improved.

RAILROAD ITEMS.—The depot building for the H. & D. Road is about completed. Work upon the water tank and engine house will be commenced at once. It is expected to have both structures completed inside of three weeks. The turn-table is completed and in working order.

The Minneapolis road has completed a water tank near the creek on the Waconia road.

No steps has yet been taken by the Minneapolis road, towards the erection of a depot and the building of side tracks at this place.

PORK.—A large quantity of pork was marketed in our village during the past week, and only brought from \$4. to \$5. per hundred. If some of our merchants would only start a packing house here, they could, without doubt, realize a handsome profit at the present price of pork, by going into the enterprise.

COLD SNAP.—The thermometer took a sudden downward "flight" on Monday and reached 24° below zero. It was also down to 20° on Tuesday morning. We hardly dare venture out of our office, for fear of "freezing up."

WOOD.—Wood is a most useful commodity now days, yet it is scarce in our market at \$3.75 per cord. Won't some of our delinquent subscribers come down with a few cords and keep us from going where the "woodbine twines?"

CROWDED.—Our streets have been crowded with teams every day during the past week. Wheat, pork, wood and hoop-ropes are staple articles in market "now days" Chaska, will astonish the "natives" next year in the exportation of the above enumerated articles.

PERSONAL.—Dr. Bray of Young America, one of our most honored citizens, made us a short call on Tuesday, while in town bidding his relatives and friends good-bye, previous to his departure for a visit to "old scenes" in Wisconsin, Indiana, Mass., and to childhood days in Maine. The Dr., carries with him the good wishes of a "host" of friends who wish him a safe journey, pleasant time and safe return.

L. Warner left for the East on Monday.

Chaska Market.

Wheat \$1.18. Barley 40 cents. Oats 35 and corn 40.

Carver Items.

Correspondence.

PERSONAL.—Freeman James Esqr. of Chaska was in town on Saturday last for the first time in six months. Mr. James has many warm friends in Carver, who are glad to see him. He informs us that he was much pleased with the red river country.

H. B. Willis of R. R. fame, spent a portion of last week at Hastings. Thomas Brennan Esqr. Manager of the Minneapolis & St. Louis R. R. was in town last week looking after the interest of his road. We understand that trains will soon be run, so our citizens can go to Minneapolis and back on the same day. This is as it should be.

W. W. Huncerford, Supt. of the Superior R. R. Co. was in town last week on business. Our old Democratic friend, Pat Colbert of Hancock made us a very pleasant call last week, we are sorry to hear that Mr. C. has considerable sickness in his family. Leonard Stroukens, Caspar Kronschnabel and Robt. Patterson of Benton, also called during the week.

GOOD TIME.—It was our fortune to attend the party at Chaska on Thanksgiving evening, gotten up under the auspices of Baxter Post, G. A. R., of Carver. Everything passed off nicely and quietly. There was good music, and a very large crowd present, some 65 couple we believe. They realized about \$60 over and above their expenses, which will go to the Soldiers, Widows and Orphan Fund. Great credit is due to H. W. Busse, A. Munter and Joseph Weinman.

CARVER LITERARY ASSOCIATION.—We neglected to mention last week that a society with the above name, had been organized in Carver, with the following officers: Dr. E. H. Lewis President, H. C. Henry Vice President, and Wm. Benson Secretary, who are to hold their positions one month, when new officers will be elected. An interesting meeting was held on Friday evening, but owing to business engagements could not be present, we understand that an interesting address was delivered by the President, and also good speeches by Frank Warner, G. B. Holmes, Tom Abrams and others; a spicy paper was read by Wm. Benson, which created a good deal of amusement. It was unanimously voted, that it be published and we will try and get it for the Herald.

Next Thursday evening there will be another meeting, and the following gentleman will take part in the discussion. Wm. Benson, Frank Warner, J. S. Letford and L. H. Griffin. We do not know what the subject is, but undoubtedly it is a good one. We earnestly hope our citizens will turn out. The ladies of course will.

WOOD.—A good article of maple wood has been bringing \$4. per cord, owing to the bad roads, and little being brought into market. Now we have sleighing it will come down to about \$3.

The trains for Minneapolis, leaves Carver at 2:25 p. m.

BUSINESS.—since the opening of the Minneapolis & St. Louis R. R. one man Mr. Andrew Schriumpf has received fifty-five loads of lumber, from Minneapolis. This is business we should say.

SNOW.—We had a regular "Old fashioned snow storm on Sunday. It was very disagreeable to be out, about 4 inches of snow fell.

HOLIDAY GOODS &c.—Geo. A. DuToit has just rec'd a full assortment of Christmas Goods, Toys &c. of every description. Go and look. He also keeps the finest brands of smoking and chewing tobacco. Ask for "Uncle Ned" or "Petique" and we guarantee you get something good.

SOME COLD.—On Monday morning the thermometer indicated 81° below zero at 6 o'clock. It was the coldest day we have had this winter.

SMALL POX.—Dr. Lewis has about a dozen cases of small pox, about a mile from town; and we would say to those wishing to be vaccinated to call on the Dr. at the Drugstore of G. A. DuToit at 8 or 9 o'clock of each morning, when they will find the Dr. on hand with good vaccine matter.

TAX NOTICE.

The Tax Duplicate for the year A. D. 1871 is now placed in my hands for collection and I will attend at the following times and places for the purpose of collecting said Taxes for the year 1871.

In Hollywood Town at the house of Joseph Merkle, on Monday the 8th day of January A. D. 1872.

In Watertown at the Drug Store on Tuesday and Wednesday the 9th and 10th of January A. D. 1872.

In Waconia, at Macleods Hotel on Thursday the 11th day of January A. D. 1872.

In Laketown at the house of Henry Wetzig on Friday the 12th day of January A. D. 1872.

In Chanhassen, at the house of Geo. M. Powers, on Saturday the 13th day of January A. D. 1872.

In Candan, at the house of C. O. Woodruff, on Tuesday the 16th day of January A. D. 1872.

In Young America, at Fred Spies Hotel on Wednesday the 17th day of January A. D. 1872.

In Benton, at the house of Herman Bongards, on Thursday the 18th day of January A. D. 1872.

In Hastings, at the house of Mathias Fritz on Friday the 19th day of January A. D. 1872.

In Lakeview, at John Lorfeld on Saturday the 20th day of Jan. 1872.

In Hancock Town, at the Saw Mill on Tuesday the 23d day of Jan. 1872.

In San Francisco, at J. A. Hillstrom on Wednesday the 24th day Jan. 1872.

In Carver, at Blomquist Hot 1 on Thursday the 25th day of Jan. 1872.

In Chaska, at my office on Friday the 26th day of Jan. 1872.

Afterwards I will attend at the County Seat, to receive taxes from those wishing to pay the same.

The amount of Taxes levied on the Dollar valuation are as follows:

State Tax.	5 mills.
Common School Tax.	2 "
County Revenue Tax.	10 "
County Special Tax.	1 "
County Poor Tax.	4 "
County Interest & Sink Fund.	2 "

TOWN TAXES.

Benton Town Tax.	1 mill
Road and Bridge Tax.	4 "
Candian Town Tax.	11 "
Road and Bridge Tax.	17-6 "
Chaska Town Tax.	1 "
Road and Bridge Tax.	1 "
Chaska Village Tax.	1 "
Chanhassen Town Tax.	2 "
Road and Bridge Tax.	2 "
Carver Town Tax.	24 "
Int. on R. R. Bonds.	5 "
Road and Bridge Tax.	74 "
Dahlgreen Town Tax.	5 "
Road and Bridge Tax.	5 "
Hollywood Town Tax.	5 "
Road and Bridge Tax.	5 "
Hancock Town Tax.	3 "
Laketown Town Tax.	2 "
Road and Bridge Tax.	5 "
San Francisco Town Tax.	84 "
Waconia Town Tax.	4 "
Watertown Town Tax.	3 "
Young America Town Tax.	3 "
Road and Bridge Tax.	24 "

School District Taxes.

No.	1	10	Mills.	No.	38	193	Mills.
1	2	9	"	39	54	"	
2	5	44	"	40	33-10	"	
3	6	72	"	41	6	"	
4	7	31	"	42	5	"	
5	8	44	"	43	10	"	
6	9	234	"	44	5	"	
7	10	10	"	45	7	"	
8	11	6	"	46	74	"	
9	12	10	"	47	7	"	
10	13	10	"	48	7	"	
11	14	44	"	49	74	"	
12	15	5	do	50	74	"	
13	16	5	do	51	7	do	
14	17	23	do	52	3-7-10	do	
15	18	134	do	53	13	do	
16	19	13	do	54	3	do	
17	20	54	do	55	74	do	
18	21	3-3-10	do	56	41	do	
19	22	5	do	57	5	do	
20	23	18	do	58	3	do	
21	24	74	do				
22	25	21	do				
23	26	14	do				
24	27	9	do				
25	28	22	do				
26	29	3	do				
27	30	3	do				
28	31	3	do				
29	32	3	do				
30	33	3	do				
31	34	3	do				
32	35	3	do				
33	36	3	do				
34	37	4	do				

All tax payers are earnestly requested to pay their taxes on personal property before the first day of February A. D. 1872.

Chaska, Dec. 7th 1871.

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THE NEWS.

Miscellaneous.

Six hundred head of boats are frozen in the New York canal.

Excitement in reference to the reading of the Bill in the public schools continues at Hunter's Point and Long Island City.

It is reported that Gov. Campbell, of Wyoming, Territory, has signed the bill repealing female suffrage.

Investigations show that \$179,000 of the money furnished to the Brooklyn Board the past year is not accounted for.

In Bloomingville, Ill., on Friday, the M. E. Church building, valued at \$100,000, was destroyed by fire. Loss \$50,000. Insured for \$85,000.

It is feared that the bark Lake Yankee, from Portland to San Francisco, has been lost with all on board.

Stratton, the post-office robber, of Carrington, Nebraska, has been sentenced to ten years' imprisonment.

At last accounts the ice in the Welland Canal was three inches thick. Eight frigates and six destroyers are frozen in.

It is reported that James W. Booth is to be appointed postmaster at New York in place of Patrick Jones, the present incumbent.

General Jones has been entered in the election case against the Trustees of the M. E. Church for \$175,000, the amount of his defalcation. The Trustees' bill, at Providence, R. I., was burned on Friday morning. The insurance was \$50,000 on the mill and machinery and \$50,000 on stock.

John Williams, a desperado character, was shot and killed by his brother-in-law, Whitehead, in Franklin county, Ark., a few days ago. A family quarrel was the cause.

Rev. W. S. Sawyer, a Unitarian minister, died on Thursday, at Chillicothe, Ohio. He preached in the morning, and at 2 o'clock p. m. was dead.

A man named Henry Ellis, from Illinois, was found by the railroad shortly after his arrival west of Omaha on Wednesday frozen to death.

The health officer reports that the cholera has disappeared from New York City. The steamer Franklin will be allowed to come up to the city Sunday.

The center cotton-mill of the Lufkin Manufacturing Company, at Jenksville, Miss., was burned Wednesday morning. Loss \$30,000, partially insured.

W. D. Wallcut died on Friday at Culpeper, Va., aged about fifty-eight years. He was formerly proprietor and editor of the Washington Evening Star.

A verdict was given for the United States in the case against fraudulent invoices of imported sugar and molasses.

Sanitary precautions to some extent in Chicago, and much dissatisfaction is evinced by the Board of Health on account of the neglect of many physicians and others to report the cases to that body.

The Pacific Hotel and railroad eating-house located at the Illinois Central passenger depot at Duquesne, was burned Wednesday. It belonged to the Illinois Central Company.

From a massive boiler and machine shop of Duquesne & Wood, ship-builders, at Knight's Point, N. J., were burned on Wednesday. Loss \$50,000 and machinery about \$50,000, partly insured.

The receiver of the Bowling Green Savings Bank states that the assets were \$457,000, and the liabilities \$474,000. If the securities realize full value the depositors will receive 95 per cent. of the assets.

Ex-Confederate General Smith is beginning to despair of securing bail, and the Sheriff thinks there is no possibility of such event. Three of the bondsmen have withdrawn their names from the bond.

James Jones was found on Wednesday, in the debris at No. 68 North Clark street, Chicago. Before the fire a family quarrel had broken out, consisting of Mr. and Mrs. Jones and her brother, all of whom were missing.

Theresa Spinner on Tuesday evening forwarded checks for \$8,000,000 in coin to parties in various parts of the country who sent their five-hundred bonds to Washington for redemption.

Up to this date the Chicago Relief and Aid Society has received \$2,508,000 in cash for the benefit of the sufferers by the great fire. The contributions come from forty states and territories.

Mr. H. W. Sage, owner of the mammoth saw mill at Wenona, Michigan, who has been on a visit to the Michigan University at Ann Arbor, proposes to give \$250,000 to Cornell University, provided women are admitted.

The New York Children's Aid society has provided 7,100 beds with homes within a few years. Some three thousand persons have been provided with homes in the West. The association is now suffering for want of funds.

It is said that efforts are being made to induce the Northwestern Railroad Company to erect a large passenger depot on the north side of the river, opposite to the present central depot in Chicago, and to have the terminal points connected by the convenience of the traveling public by rail.

On Thursday last, while clearing up the late residence of Resin Harmon, a wealthy citizen of Charleston, Ind., recently deceased, an old trunk was discovered, containing a starkey, and, being opened, was found to contain \$100,000 in coin, treasury notes, United States bonds, coupons, etc.

The Senate Finance Committee is divided on the question of abolishing the income tax, but the majority favor the sweeping away of all internal revenue taxes, except on whiskey, beer and tobacco, and stamp. Senator McKim is preparing a new full bill, and proposes to add to the present list many articles upon which small amounts of duties are collected.

A hurricane visited the northern side of the island of Cuba on the 25th ult., doing immense damage to shipping. The gale blew from the north-east, and lasted until the next morning. The tide was four feet higher than was ever known before. The public wharf at Port Juncos, and the village of San Juan, were blown down. The village of San Juan, where the late General J. M. Gomez resided, was wrecked in the great of Cuba, and it is feared there has been considerable loss by the gale.

The king of the Belgians has commissioned M. Georges Francois Thomsen to form a new cabinet.

The French squadron destined to guard the shores of Corsica is to remain at Ajaccio for an indefinite time.

There has been a large increase in the number of cases of cholera in Stambul during the last three or four days.

Telegraphic communications between Nassau and Oahu will soon be completed, and direct communication with Europe and America.

It is rumored that a demonstration against the Japanese of Tushima, lying between Japan and Korea, has been made by Korea, who claim that it is Korean territory.

Troubles have broken out in the southern districts of Japan in opposition to the Government edict, abrogating the position of the samurai and abolishing the hereditary rank, and giving a thing in return.

From Matamoros Gen. Trevino telegraphs that the revolutionaries are at Monterey. He has captured the greater part of the city, and is pressing the siege vigorously. Sixteen hundred government troops are holed inside. The war supply is out.

The King of Belgium has demanded the portfolios of the ministers, and they have accordingly resigned. The resignation of the D'Anselme government has had a most tranquilizing effect in Brussels. The formation of the new Cabinet is entrusted to M. De Weert, leader of the Conservative party.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Review of the Affairs of the Nation.

Our Relations with Foreign Powers.

Recommendations Concerning Tariff and Taxation.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—The following is the President's message delivered to Congress today, at noon:

Joint Senate and House of Representatives:

In addressing my third annual message to the joint session of the Congress, it is gratifying to be able to state that during the past year there has been a general feeling of confidence in the policy which has been followed in the conduct of the Government.

The past year has been a year of peace and prosperity, and the Government has been able to maintain its position in the world. The country has been able to maintain its position in the world, and the Government has been able to maintain its position in the world.

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You, Harrison R. Morse, are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in this case, and to appear at the trial of the same, which will be held at the Court House in the City of Chaska, on the 11th day of November, A.D. 1871.

Witness my hand and the seal of the Court at Chaska, this 11th day of September, A.D. 1871.

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FRANCIS HASTENSTAD, Co. Treasurer, Dr.	
State Rev. Interest, Sinking & Co. Fund \$792.13	
County Revenue Fund	1096.34
Common School do	352.92
County S. Bond do	287.08
do Special Vols. Bounty Fund	49.00
do Int. & Sinking Fund	216.00
do Poor Fund	1519.40
Sundry account	5.75
County Tax Fund	507.94
Town Road & Bridge Fund	726.17
Town Bounty Fund	87.35
School District Tax Fund	933.85
School House Tax Fund	206.02
Co. Road & Bridge Fund	4.90
	\$1586.63

COUNTY TREASURER CR.

PAID TO THE STATE.

Rev. Int. & Sinking	\$792.13
COUNTY CANCELLED	
County Rev. Fund	1096.34
do Special Fund	111.15
do Poor Fund	254.00
do Int. & Sinking Fund	1273.40
	\$2636.34

BY CREDIT TO TOWNS & DISTRICTS.

Town of Camden	\$89.04
do of Chaska	89.07
do of Carver	747.51
do of Chaska	29.45
do of Chaska	211.13
do of Wagona	15.08
do of Watertown	426.18
School District No. 1	131.95
do 2	47.03
do 3	27.25
do 4	45.07
do 5	106.54
do 6	89.57
do 7	106.42
do 8	71.37
do 9	104.43
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do Int. & Sinking Fund	257.39
do Road & Bridge Fund	4.90
do Poor Fund	176.40
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OFFICE OF THE AUDITOR & TREASURER, STATE OF MINNESOTA, Co. of Carver, } S. S.

We the undersigned, do hereby certify that the statement is a true statement of the Treasurer of Carver County as appears from the records of our respective offices.

Given under our hands this 13th day of November, A. D. 1871.

PETER WEEGO, County Auditor.

F. HASTENSTAD, County Treasurer.

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Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure.

Names of Mortgagees: William Gable and Mary Gable, his wife.

Notice is hereby given that the mortgage of William Gable and Mary Gable, his wife, in and to the County of Carver, Minnesota, bearing date the 1st day of January, 1871, for the sum of \$1000.00, and interest thereon at the rate of 10 per cent per annum, is hereby foreclosed.

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BY E. DU TOIT.

CHASKA, THURSDAY, DEC. 21, 1871.

Chaska.

ITS LOCATION & PROSPECTS.

From the Minneapolis Tribune.

CHASKA, Dec. 7, 1871.

Chaska is a point on the Minneapolis and St. Louis railroad that the traveler cannot visit without more than a passing notice. Situated on the Minnesota river and about two miles this side of Carver, it was at an early day selected as the capital of Carver county. It is beautifully located, and for a town site is admirable. It is not too level, nor yet too rugged, but is sufficiently rolling to avoid sameness, and smooth enough to render every foot of ground available for practical purposes. The present village may be said to have been commenced in 1854, and in 1857 the court house was erected, which has ever remained its crowning feature. Located on a gentle elevation, it overlooks the entire section, and commands a view to inspire the weary lawyer and overworked judge. Less attractive places for the county seat could have been selected, but none prettier.

THE BUSINESS INTERESTS of Chaska are of course not as yet extensive. There are, however, many enterprises in the germ state that only await capital for their full and complete development. The manufacture of brick is carried on to no considerable extent. Upwards of three million were made here during the last season and the quality is equal to any in the State. The supply of material is rich and limited. With present facilities for transportation Chaska will soon be measuring arms in this regard with her stronger brothers.

The wheat trade at this point is estimated at about fifty thousand bushels per annum. It is anticipated that another year will witness an increase in this commodity which will give this place a position well up in the list of grain markets.

There has been no small degree of excitement at Chaska during the present week owing to the strike and competition among buyers of wheat; the Hastings & Dakota railroad company, heading off against parties from Minneapolis, and have crowded the price up to \$1.19, being a trifle higher than it was quoted the same days at Milwaukee. Of course this was a price which would not be held for any great length of time, and at the present writing the price has commenced to decline. The farmers are cackling over the war between the capitalists and no doubt wishing it might always continue. There is a steam flouring mill here with a capacity of one hundred barrels per day of twelve hours. This mill is kept running during the entire year and a greater part of the time to its full capacity. It has all the river advantages enjoyed by Carver or St. Paul except that it is not a head of navigation. This, viewed in conjunction with

RAILROAD COMMUNICATIONS, becomes a matter of vast importance. Centering, as it were, at this place, are the Minneapolis and St. Louis railroad, and the Hastings and Dakota railroad. The latter road is now erecting depots, round houses, water tanks, &c., to the value of \$25,000, which already present a lively and business-like appearance. Chaska will always be a sort of terminus for this road, and as such will be one of the most important on it. The warehouses here are quite "extensive," but like a certain man of ancient days, they threaten to tear down and build larger. We do not think the simile can be carried any further, for we believe that Chaska has a proud future before her, and granaries will not be the least among them.

THE MORAVIAN ACADEMY forms a feature of no small importance in this pretty village. It is open to all nationalities and the advantages that it offers are willingly accepted by the people. The district school house is somewhat "in a decline," and, like their sister village, Carver, they anticipate something new and commodious next year. These schools are now closed—next, however, from any necessity on account of small pox that is now prevailing in an adjoining town. The cases reported are not dangerous and no spread of the disease is likely to occur.

We have given this sketch of CHASKA, without any intent to give a rose colored tint to the true state of facts. There is, in our opinion, every reason to believe that Chaska will grow to be a large and flourishing village; and we hope to see the time when Chaska and Carver will be working under one and the same charter of incorporation. Then will

ergies be united that are now served, and in the place of two villages we will behold a large and flourishing city at the head of navigation on the Minnesota river.

We cannot close this letter without expressing our thanks to Hon. Fred E. Du Toit, representative elect to the next Legislature, and editor of the

VALLEY HERALD, for his politeness to us while at this place. Towards him we will remember the golden rule. Neither should we forget our attentive host, Mr. Peter Itis, of the National Hotel, with whom we tarried quite pleasantly while at Chaska.

Whisky Sold.

[From the Alexandria Post.]

A joke is related on one of our liquor sellers. A gentleman going to Benson bought a jug of whisky in Alexandria and started by the coach. At Glenwood, in getting out of the stage, he let the jug fall. The stoneware broke and left the whisky a complete cylinder of ice, sitting in the snow. In this condition he tied his liquor up in a cloth and carried it to Benson, breaking off what he wanted for use on the way. The purchaser considers the whisky good—for winter transportation, and believes the Good Templars have already accomplished much in Alexandria.

The Leak Re-Opened.

[From the Hastings Gazette.]

The annual meeting of the State Normal School Board was held in St. Paul on Tuesday. The total number of students in the three schools is given at 557, besides 574 in the model department, which is similar to that of any other select school. They will ask the Legislature for \$75,000 for the coming year. \$25,000 as current expenses, \$10,000 to build the school house at St. Cloud, and \$10,000 for deficiencies at Winona and Mankato.

Comparing the number of normal school students with the amount asked for current expenses, it will cost about \$45 per head to run the schools next year; taking the total appropriation of \$75,000 it would be the equivalent, to \$135. In this city we educate our children, and turn out just as good teachers as the so-called normal schools at \$2 per annum. No wonder that the people of the State are heartily sick and tired of this stupendous waste of public funds. The next Legislature should put a stop to it at once and forever.

Senator Ramsey introduced a bill in the senate, on Monday, to divide the territory of Ojibway, and provide a temporary government therefor. The proposed territory lies between the 46th and 50th parallels, and extending from Minnesota to Montana.

The new apportionment bill passed the house of representatives on Thursday. It provides for two hundred and eighty-three members, with one additional from this state. It will probably pass the senate before the close of the next session of the Legislature.

PRESIDENT GRANT and the Telegraph King have suffered a serious, though not an irreparable defeat in the House of Representatives. Their scheme to sell to the Government \$5,000,000 worth of telegraph poles and wires for \$2,500,000 and upwards, has been rejected, not, as they desired, to a special committee, which would, as a matter of course, report in its favor, but to the regular Committee on Appropriation, which will doubtless occur before this reaches our readers. Speculations are rife as to the future government of Great Britain and late telegrams have gone so far as to say that the cabinet of that country have agreed in one Queen Victoria abdicates the throne, that the Princess Alexandra (wife of Prince of Wales) will be declared Regent. The oldest male child of Prince of Wales is only eight years, and can not rule until he is 21, even should he live. We are not similarly afflicted in this country. Prince Grant is already 21, and over.

If you want a can of fresh oysters, call on FRANK ESS.

HOME ITEMS

HERALD AGENT CARVER—G. A. Du Toit

Saint Paul & S. C. R. R.
The following indicates the time for the arrival of trains at Meridian Station.
Up Trains..... 10:50 A. M. 6:00 P. M.
Down Trains..... 9:55 A. M. 5:00 P. M.
J. F. Lincoln, Supt.

H. & D. RAILWAY.

The following indicates the time for the arrival and departure of trains at Chaska.
Down train..... 9:20 A. M. 9:20 A. M.
Up train..... 6:00 P. M. 6:00 P. M.
They leave Carver 15 minutes previous.

R. R. ITEMS.—The site for the depot on the V. & St. L. Road, has finally been determined in favor of Von Milken block and the depot building is already up and enclosed. It is not quite as large as the H. & D. depot, but is yet of very fair dimension, and will add materially to the appearance and business prospects of that part of town.

Mr. Young informs us that it is the intention of Minneapolis parties to erect shortly, a large grain warehouse near the depot on the Minneapolis road.

More the better.
The engine house on the H. & D. Road, is up and enclosed, and is 40 x 65, and will be finished in good style.

The depot on the H. & D. Road is completed and is a model of beauty. It is finished throughout with great care.

The wind-mill water tank is also nearly completed.

That part of town has changed so that we hardly recognize it as being a "part and parcel" of original Chaska.

IMMIGRATING.—A considerable number of Scandinavian families, residents of Carver county, and in good circumstances, are about to remove in a "body" to Cottonwood county, there to take homesteads, and at the same time retain their proprietorship in their present homes and farms.

The above paragraph is "going the rounds" of our state exchanges. If so, it is unknown to "we us & co."

NEW DEPARTURE.—The Atlas appears the week in new dress and (Chicago) outside. This state of affairs will continue until business will justify printing all at home again. We have hauled down our old motto—"A Live Paper or None," and were we to insert anything in its place, it would probably be, "Patent goods or bust."

"Bast!"

Horatio Robinson, in the penitentiary for life for the Chaska rape, died suddenly on Friday last, of consumption. Stillwater Messenger.

Comments unnecessary.

PERSONAL.—Capt. Mills accompanied by Mr. A. W. Benson of Carver made our village and office a call last Saturday. Capt. Mills is an old "brother" in arms and at present the accomplished pilot of the Carver graded school. Call again, gentle.

Supt. Kerk of Waconia was in town on official duties during the week.

Jas. Patterson of Camden "dropped" in on Tuesday.

CHASKA.—We re-publish, in another column, an article taken from the Minneapolis Tribune, from the pen of Mr. Theodore Welch, concerning Chaska, its location and future prospects. It is a well written and interesting article and should command the attention of our readers.

WOOD.—Henry Young has the contract to furnish 2,000 cords of wood for Minneapolis parties and will pay \$9.75 per cord for good maple wood delivered at the Minneapolis depot.

The H. & D. Road have brought 700 cords of wood in town for the use of the road. It was purchased on the line of the road at \$1.50 per cord.

Wood is in good demand in town at \$3.75 per cord.

CHASKA MARKET.—The following are the present market quotations:
Wheat from \$1.08—1.12 per bushel.
Oats, 25, Corn 40, Barley 45.

BUSINESS.—Every branch of business is improving daily. Wheat, wood and house-poles are prime articles and readily command good figures in cash.

COMMUNICATION.—We are in receipt of a long and interesting communication from Carver, in regard to small pox. It was received too late for insertion this week.

Literary Notices.

The prospectus of the Gody's Lady's Book appears in another column. The Godeys is so well known that any comments from us are unnecessary. We will club the Godeys and the HERALD together for \$3.50 per year.

HARPER'S BAZAR, which we advertise in another column, is one of the most attractive of the series published by that very enterprising house. Though devoted especially to the ladies, it is of interest to all classes of readers, containing all hints and instructions necessary to keep its readers well up in the prevailing fashions, and contains also, beautiful engravings of interesting events, cartoons full of humor, and much first-class reading matter.

Carver Items.

Correspondence.

LITERARY ASSOCIATION.—On Thursday evening last the following named persons were elected as officers for one month as follows: Thomas Abrams, President, Geo. A. Du Toit Vice President, Jos. Benson Secretary, Th. E. H. Lewis, Editor, Mrs. Lewis, Treasurer. Committee on program, H. E. W. Lewis, G. R. Jones, J. S. Leland, Mrs. Geo. Hamilton and Miss Agnes Stinson.

The subject for discussion on Friday evening (Dec. 22nd) is "Resolved"—"The Capital Punishment ought to be abolished." Two good speakers will take part and a good audience should be in hand. Remember Friday evening this week.

CHASKA.—We have been requested to state that the following officers were elected by the Carver Taxpayers Association, at their last meeting: Chairman, Dr. E. H. Lewis, Senior Vice Chairman, Peter Wesson, Junior Vice Chairman, H. W. Rose, Quartermaster, A. G. Anderson, Chaplain, H. J. Peck, Surgeon, Jos. Weinman, Officer of the Day, John Sandline, Officer of the Guard, Mat. Logelin, Investigator to Dept. Encompteur, H. W. Buse and L. L. Baxton. Post meets every 1st and 3rd Saturday evenings in the month. The Post is in a flourishing condition.

GOSPEL.—H. C. Henry Esqr. business manager for London & Co. who has made this place his headquarters during the summer, has gone to Ohio. We believe he takes charge of some work there for London and Linton, we are very sorry to lose Mr. Henry, who was a No. 1 fellow. We also hear that our friend, H. B. Willis paymaster for the above firm, is about leaving for Minneapolis to take a position in the office there. Mr. Willis has made many friends in Carver this summer. All who have had business to transact with him will be sorry to lose him. He is a tip-top fellow and a nice gentleman. We fear our friend Capt. Abrams will be homesome. "A word to the wise is sufficient."

RETURN.—That "Hunting Party" which we mentioned last week has returned. For full particulars enquire of Judge Warner or Capt. Johnson.

RUMOR.—We hear it rumored among the "dancers" that a Christmas or New Year's party is on the programme. Let it be so.

PERSONAL.—Our friend B. B. Sprague, of the firm Johnson & Mason, boot and shoe dealer, St. Paul, fell in upon us last week, looking and feeling as good as usual.

Jas. Shoen passed through town on Monday, on his way to the Sandy City. Maj. A. B. Rogers, the master spirit of all, a 11 H. R. was around during the week on business.

DAILY MAIL.—We have now a daily mail from this place to Chicago, St. Louis and Newton, proprietors. They make connection with the Minneapolis & St. Louis road at this place.

FANCY.—Geo. A. Du Toit has just received a splendid assortment of Fancy Candies, Tobaccos, Jewels, and Perfumery—Go and see.

THE HOLIDAYS.—Call on G. A. Du Toit Drug Store, and see these splendid hang and side lamps, purchased expressly for the holidays. Buy your wife one.

BUSINESS.—During the last two weeks, Carver has been a perfect "Bee Hive." The streets and stores are a jam. Business has been a matter of course, been splendid. Extra help is employed.

MERRY CHRISTMAS.—We wish our friends one and all a "Merry Christmas."

SHIPPING.—John Dunn is shipping 12,000 bushels of wheat by the H. & D. R. R.

PRETTY.—Th. nice "Perfumery Boxes" at G. A. Du Toit's Drugstore.

BATTLED.—The time allowed for killing prize chickens has expired.

POETRY.—This article of produce has been coming into market in vast quantities during the week and brought from \$1.00 cents.

Wheat brings from \$1.10 to \$1.12 per bushel in Carver. Oats 40, Pork 5, Corn 40.

It has been determined to have a new school building, and is arranging for the negotiation of bonds at a small rate of interest.

TAX NOTICE.

The Tax Duplicate for the year A. D. 1871 is now placed in my hands for collection and I will attend at the following times and places for the purpose of collecting and Taxes for the year 1871.
In Hollywood Town at the house of Joseph Merkle on Monday the 8th day of January A. D. 1872.
In Watertown at the Drug Store on Tuesday and Wednesday the 9th and 10th of January A. D. 1872.
In Waconia, at Macfalds Hotel on Thursday the 11th day of January A. D. 1872.
In Laketown at the house of Henry Weitzig on Friday the 12th day of January A. D. 1872.
In Chaska, at the house of Geo. M. Powers, on Saturday the 13th day of January A. D. 1872.
In Camden, at the house of C. O. Woodruff, on Tuesday the 16th day of January A. D. 1872.
In Young America, at Fred Spies Hotel on Wednesday the 17th day of January A. D. 1872.
In Benton, at the house of Herman Bongards, on Thursday the 18th day of January A. D. 1872.
In Benson, at the house of Mathias Ertz on Friday the 19th day of January A. D. 1872.
In Dahlgreen, at John Lorfeld on Saturday the 20th day of Jan. 1872.
In Lincoln Town, at the Saw Mill on Tuesday the 23rd day of Jan. 1872.
In Sauk Rapids, at J. A. Hillstrom on Wednesday the 24th day of Jan. 1872.
In Carver, at Blomquist Hotel on Thursday the 25th day of Jan. 1872.
In Chaska, any office on Friday the 26th day of Jan. 1872.
Afterwards I will attend at the County seat, to receive taxes from those who wish to pay the same.

The amount of Taxes levied on the Dollar valuation are as follows:
State Tax..... 5 mills
County School Tax..... 2 " "
County Revenue Tax..... 10 " "
County Special Tax..... 1 " "
County Year Tax..... 4 " "
County Interest & Sinking Fund..... 2 " "

TOWN TAXES.

Benton Town Tax,	1	mill
Lincoln School Tax,	4	"
Camden Town Tax,	11	"
Road and Bridge Tax,	1-7-6	"
Chaska Town Tax,	1	"
Road and Bridge Tax,	1	"
Chaska Village Tax,	1	"
Chaska School Tax,	2	"
Road and Bridge Tax,	2	"
Carver Town Tax,	2	"
Int. on R. R. Bonds,	2	"
Road and Bridge Tax,	7	"
Dahlgreen Town Tax,	5	"
Road and Bridge Tax,	5	"
Hollywood Town Tax,	5	"
Road and Bridge Tax,	2	"
Hancock Town Tax,	2	"
Laketown Town Tax,	5	"
Road and Bridge Tax,	5	"
San Francisco Town Tax,	8	"
Waconia Town Tax,	4	"
Watertown Town Tax,	3	"
Young America Town Tax,	2	"
Road and Bridge Tax,	2	"

School District Taxes.

No.	1	10	Mills.	No.	38	124	Mills.
1	2	9	"	39	39	3	"
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4	7	11	"	42	4	5	"
5	8	4	"	43	5	5	"
6	9	23	"	44	10	5	"
7	10	10	"	45	5	5	"
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9	13	10	"	47	7	1	"
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12	16	20	do	50	7	1	do
13	17	24	do	51	5	1	do
14	18	13	do	52	3-7-10	do	
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All tax payers are earnestly requested to pay their taxes on personal property before the 1st day of February A. D. 1872.
Chaska, Dec. 7th 1871.

FRANK HESSENSTAB, Treasurer of Carver Co.

SPECIAL MEETING OF VILLAGE BOARD.

Members all present. A motion was made to levy a tax for the payment of interest on proposed bonds of the H. & D. R. R. After considerable discussion it was finally passed and the rate fixed at 5 mills.

On motion the president was authorized to act in conjunction with the chairman of the board of supervisors in regard to the small pox.

On motion Ordinance No. 1 was amended so as to meet at the Herald Office.

Bill of Frank Ess presented.

On motion adjourned to meet at call of president.

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THE NEWS.

Miscellaneous.

Prizes at Portland, Me., and at Concord, N. H., destroyed property amounting to about \$40,000.

A young man named Kerr was burned to death at Columbia, Ind., on Tuesday night, by a hot stove falling upon him.

SIXTEEN MONTHS' pocket book, which was stolen from him while getting on the cars at Jersey City, has been returned minus \$500.

CHARLES BOWEN, colored, fatally stabbed another negro named Shilling, Bowling, near Fort Smith, Ark., a few days since.

A postal convention has been concluded with Senator, going into effect immediately, letter postage to be twenty cents per half ounce.

The City Treasurer, of Philadelphia, has been found guilty of five counts in the indictment charging him with misappropriating \$300,000 of the city money.

The proprietors of the assignment houses of Brooklyn are decamping, as two of their number have been sentenced to six months in the penitentiary.

The total loss of the Chicago national banks by fire is \$1,005,000, leaving them with a capital unimpaired and the surplus of \$1,800,000 still available.

A SHORTAGE occurred at Sargent's Bluff, Iowa, Wednesday evening, between David Barton and William J. Miller, resulting in Miller's death.

Two severe shocks of earthquake were felt on the night of the 5th at Cedar City, Iron county, Utah. On the morning of the 6th another shock occurred. A loud noise accompanied the shocks.

MORGAN POWELL, general foreman of the Lehigh Coal Navigation Company at Mauch Chunk, Penn., was shot and killed on Saturday evening, at Summit Hill, while on the way to the Company's office, by an unknown man.

The British bark Emily Lowther, at Boston, reports No. 13, latitude 41° 30' longitude 70° 30', made a light ahead, which proved to be a bark on fire, and on moving down toward her found that it was the bark Venus. Her crew had been taken off by the brig Laura H., bound for St. John, N. B.

SOME of the prices realized at the sale of the City collection of books, in New York, on Wednesday, were as follows: A copy of 1779 brought \$7; a copy of 1794, \$37; a half dollar of 1797, \$23; a copy of 1800, \$43. The remainder of the prices were in the same ratio.

The Kansas Pacific Railroad, which has been blocked by snow, is now clear from Kansas City to Cheyenne, and the Union Pacific mails are coming over it from the west. The time and schedule have been settled, and so that there is no further danger of drifting.

ARTICLES of association of the Chicago Continental and Baltimore Railroad Company have been filed. The Indiana portion of the proposed line will run through the counties of Lake, Porter, LaPorte, Starke, Marshall, Fulton, Wabash, Wells and Adams, a distance of 165 miles. Capital, \$3,000,000.

The bark Linda picked up thirty miles from Southwest Pass, a small boat containing three Chinese who were blown away by the storm on November 12th. They were seventeen days at sea, and several days without food or water. Frank Cervantes had died on the boat.

In the Ku-Klux-klan at Charleston, on Wednesday, Rev. Johnson argued that Congress could give the Federal army no right to try violations of state laws, and showed that the indictment put the prisoners in jeopardy twice, viz., an act of Congress and the laws of the state.

A CONFLAGRATION at Hagerstown, Md., on Wednesday evening, destroyed the agricultural warehouse of Hollins & Burbank, the Episcopal church, court house, and other buildings. All the public records were saved. Several lives were lost by falling timbers of the court house dome, and a number of persons severely injured.

AFRICA dispatch says: "The President's message receives earnest commendation from all classes. Even the church organs approve portions of it, but makes no reference to that upon which the President has shown the effect of the message on the public mind. The general feeling is that the President has done well. Few now express any hope for maintaining the practice of polygamy in the United States."

SECRETARY BOWEN has given notice that on and after the 7th of March, 1872, the principal and accrued interest on twenty-five coupon and registered bonds, known as the twenty-second series of the act of February 25th, 1862, will be paid at the Treasury Department. The amount of these bonds not converted and thus called in is twenty million dollars.

The National Tax Convention has adopted a resolution favoring a uniform tax on all grades of manufactured tobacco at sixteen cents per pound. Also a resolution favoring the continuation of the bonded warehouse system, in opposition to the recommendation of the Commissioner of Customs, who desires to use the old drawback system.

A PRIVATE dispatch from Columbia, Tenn., says: Eugene Greenwell, who, in a fit of momentary aberration a few days since, severely wounded his sister-in-law and mother with a hatchet and then harkened himself with a razor, was dying from the effects of his wound. He was a son of W. B. Greenwell, a well known capitalist of Richmond.

The Governor of Kentucky in his message to the Legislature, is very severe on lawlessness. He says a mob is no remedy for anything. If a mob inflicts death on any one, all who countenance the act are guilty of murder. He recommends additional legislation to more certainly reach unlawful organizations and well-disposed persons imposing more stringent and severe penalties on public officers for failure or neglect to enforce the criminal laws.

SAMUEL J. ANDERSON attempted to commit suicide in New York on Friday. Anderson was a bookkeeper in the Comptroller's office until a short time after the appointment of Green. Anderson states that previous to his discharge he furnished figures to the Comptroller of the city as evidence of the guilt of Connelly, Tweed & Co., and was promised commutation, but did not receive it. He consequently became impoverished. To this he attributes the attempt on his life.

The Chicago and Northwestern Railroad Company has got its new freight houses so far advanced in the North Division of Chicago, as to be able to manage its freight business with dispatch. The Chicago and North Western Railroad Company has now completed its freight houses at the foot of Lake street, and is fully able to handle conveniently all freight that comes. The company has now put under good substantial state roofs 50,000 square feet of floor surface for freight purposes.

Foreign.

Tax elections in Spain have resulted in favor of the radical party.

A DISPATCH from Halifax announces that the schooner Achilles was wrecked at Minas Basin. Ten of the crew were drowned.

Tax iron ship Loch Leven, of 1,200 tons, which left Melbourne for London on the 23d of October, with a cargo of wool, tallow and other colonial produce, of the estimated value of \$30,000, has been wrecked at King's Island, in the Pacific. The captain was the only person lost.

The bark Corryville, of Melbourne, was wrecked at Alice, in Marshall's Archipelago. The vessel and cargo will be a total loss. Captain Roe and three of his men reached Rockhampton on the 24th of November, after a day out, and having suffered great hardships. There are no tidings of the other boat with the remainder of the crew.

Tax anniversary of the apprentice boys at London was celebrated on Thursday, and passed off quietly. An angry London was burst amidst the usual disorderly demonstrations.

Tax betting on the result of the Tebomne case is two to one against the claimant of the property.

A STRIKE of telegraph operators in London, Manchester, Liverpool and other large cities has commenced.

Tax dates to the 22d ult. are received. One thousand dollars has been collected for the sufferers by the Chicago fire. Hon. Thomas Little, American Minister, was sick and had started for New York.

The Poor at Christmas.

BY FRANK CANT.

Find your hands upon your bosoms
Your babes tender cries, earth
And slung them to their cradles
With soft lullabies.

Proud fathers, whose children are sheltered
In the home of their birth:
Who see their little ones merry and even
Still safe by the hearth:

When the merciless winds of the winter
Are cruel and bold;
When even the sheltered sparrows
Are crying for cold;

And you listen, safe-house, to the falling
Of the snow and the sleep;
And hear on your roof-tree, all harmless,
The wild tongue of the wind;

When you gather, a circle unbroken,
You breathe and sing;
And shut in your children, remember
The children shut out.

Think of wanderers abroad in the darkness,
The tempest and rain;
With no shelter, no roof-tree, all homeless,
No light in the pane—

Think of orphans, and voiceless—babe deserted,
Whom "where" will find the earth;
For their playing beam had taken
To the day of their birth.

Think of them tenderly, kindly,
Poor, homeless, stray;
For the sake of the child Jesus
On worship to-day.

By all the proud hopes that enfold
Your sons, brave and bright;
By your love for the tender-eyed daughters,
So fair in your sight;

By the blessings unmarked, and unnumbered,
Which you are remembered in mercy,
Remember the poor!

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THEIR CHRISTMAS.

CHAPTER I.

Yes, THEIR Christmas! I suspect the big world didn't know or care very much about it. It didn't get into the newspapers. It wasn't a great affair at the breakfast table of their neighbors. But for all this it was a diamond day to them as the little cottage of the poor.

Life's highest happiness doesn't always blossom on the topmost boughs of wealth and royalty. Much oftener, indeed, it blooms underfoot, like the violets of April, waiting fragrant and beautiful for the eyes that can see and the hands that can gather.

Their little cottage asserted itself, modestly, yet firmly, in the neighborhood of far stately homes that seemed to look down on it scornfully. Seemingly, I say, for I hardly think the houses really meant to frown. A frown is the natural expression of lofty birth, and the little cottage, with its patch of garden, its coat of clean stone-colored paint, its neatly curtained windows, and a general air of unassuming self-possession and content, best of all, a noble elm grew beside it, a kindly tree, that stretched its boughs over the roof with an expression of powerful and affectionate protection that said: "Here, I'll take care of this little house if you please, I'll see that the hot summer sun and the biting winter wind visit it gently; and if necessary, I'll stand between it and the very lightnings of heaven. I watched it grow up from a pile of lumber and stones and disagreeable materials, and I'll protect it to the end of its journey."

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THE NEWS.

Miscellaneous.

The small port is now said to be epidemic in Brooklyn.

New York is to have a new German theatre, which will cost \$400,000.

Dr. Mersbach has been sentenced to be hanged on the 20th of January.

Three hundred sheep were burned to death in the Tulella Delta, San Joaquin, Cal.

The Excelsior Furniture Manufacturing in Detroit, Mich., was burned on Thursday last.

The Savings Bank will pay ten per cent. on January 1st, and forty-five more within six months.

The number of cases of small-pox in Philadelphia, last week, was 198, a decrease of 24 from the previous week.

At least 500 copies of each of the outstanding New York newspapers to his father the day after his reception.

Jefferson Keston shot and instantly killed James Townsend in a saloon row in Chicago, on Friday.

James Hill, one of Beatty's independent scouts, was brutally murdered in Fortness county, Tenn., several days ago.

Two horse thieves were arrested in Laporte county, Ind., on Sunday—eleven captured in that county since last April.

Three two-story frame buildings, occupied as business houses, were destroyed by fire in Bristol, N. H., on Thursday.

The New York Chamber of Commerce is negotiating for the purchase of the ground occupied by the old postoffice, on which to erect a handsome edifice.

A fire at Mauds Station, Livingston county, N. Y., on Thursday night, destroyed Partington's block, Thompson's block, and three dwellings.

John P. McTearney has recovered \$4,000 damages from a stage company in New York, for the loss of a leg, through being run over by one of the company's stages.

John P. McTearney and J. L. Lassar have been convicted of illegal registration in New York, and sentenced respectively to two and one-half and one year in the State Prison.

A collision occurred on the Missouri Pacific Railroad, Tuesday morning, causing the death of a brakeman named Freeman, and severe injury of a conductor named Butler.

The Grand Jury at St. Paul, Minn., has arrived in Omaha, to accompany Gen. J. H. Sheridan, and will proceed to Fort McPherson, where they will start on a buffalo hunt.

The House Committee on Appropriations will report a bill appropriating \$20,000 to cover the deficiency of A. McTearney, a publishing clerk of the Post-office Department.

The principal telegraph lines in Cuba have been placed in working order, and remain undisturbed by the insurrection.

The insurrection in Cuba has reached a point of positive proof of a decline of the rebellion.

On Friday the Committee of Ways and Means declined to arguments from representatives of tobacco interests who petitioned the views of this convention just closed in Washington.

The planning mill of D. A. Ross & Co., of Detroit, was destroyed by fire on Friday evening.

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"This my companion in Paradise!" said Rabbi Solomon, seized with an undefinable fear. "Companion in Paradise! My God! I have been, without knowing it, great sinner! Could it be of a companion in hell that the celestial vision spoke?"

An holy chill ran through his veins. He was upon a great, deep, sleep when a new thought comforted him. "May not this be a great sin, he said to himself, 'who is destined to become a great sinner? Oh, if the Lord has reserved to me the grace to conduct this wanderer to salvation! What glory, what triumph!"

Full of this thought and hope, he went in search of the house of Abraham Ben Gerson. "Can you tell me where he lives?" he said to one he met on the way. The man walked with him a short distance, and then pointing with his finger, said: "There, that is his house."

The Rabbi looked and wondered. He beheld before him a vast palace of splendid magnificence, even externally. In a spacious court-yard were sumptuous equipages, which had brought about a noble and aristocratic society. In rich liveries stood in readiness to welcome visitors and friends. As he entered the palace, all the pomp of human grandeur seemed to be before his eyes.

Wondering and hesitating, he did not dare to advance. "What display, what splendor, for a son of exiled people! What part have I here? How can I be welcomed, I a humble teacher, in the midst of all this superb magnificence? Better withdraw than expose myself to the gaze of these eyes!"

But, as he turned to depart, some of the servants who had observed him came forward, and with the humble and respectful manners which which they served princes, begged him to present himself to their master, and to open his eyes to the splendor of the world.

Rabbi Solomon, reassured, said that he wished to speak to Abraham Ben Gerson; and upon this he was at once conducted into a large, rich hall, where he was told he would have to wait only a moment or two before he would have the desired interview.

"My companion in Paradise!" he said. "He has his paradise here in this world. No mortal can enjoy two. No; I will not more think of him as my companion in heaven. At least may I be permitted to see him?"

"Will you come at once when I call?"

The Rabbi promised and departed. After a few days a select company was gathered in one of the halls of Don Abraham. Every thing breathed peace and joy.

Among the guests was our Rabbi. Don Abraham came in, as pale as death, and with a look of a young woman, beautiful as an angel.

"Behold Rebecca," he said with a trembling voice to the company. "Behold the wife of my son, the Rabbi Solomon." "Behold the wife of my son," said the guests, and the Rabbi Solomon smiled.

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